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An English Coxey Army.

A great national demonstration in favor of the unemployed bill now before the British Parliament is being organized by James Kier Harde, socialist and independent member of Parliament and a well-known labor leader, and other labor leaders. The programme includes the march of several thousands unemployed men from the leading factory centers of the country to London on the lines of the Coxey army.

The date of the demonstration, which will take place in Hyde Park, has not been definitely settled, but it will be either June 10 or June 17. Men from Leicester, Glasgow, Newcastle, Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Leeds and other points will pour into London on the days immediately preceding the day set for the Hyde Park demonstration. Most of the men will march to London by road, but others will go there by train. A thousand men at Leicester, who had arranged to start for London on May 21, have delayed their departure in order to participate in the general march.

The men will be advised to throw the responsibility for the maintenance of their wives and children during the pilgrimage upon the authorities, and their children will be directed to demand food in the schools.

There is no intention to send deputations to Parliament, where they probably would meet the fate of Gribble, the leader of the delegation from the army bootmakers from Northamptonshire, who was thrown out of the Speaker's gallery of the House of Commons on May 12 after attemping to address the House, but to concentrate such a mass of unemployed men in London that Parliament will actually see the necessity for legislation. In the meanwhile meetings will be held in Hyde Park, and all the labor leaders will make speeches.

Should the government previously acquiesce in the demands for the passage of the unemployed bill the demonstration will still take place, but it will be held in congratulation instead of criticism of the Government.

A Strange Story.

George Wood, the young New York man, who is on trial at Somerville, N. J., charged with the murder of George Williams, of Watchung, yesterday told his story to the jury. He said that he knew nothing of what occurred after "a little black man began to drill a lesson into my mind," when he was on his way to Searsdale, Pa., until several days later, when he found himself in the Tombs prison, New York, charged with murder.

Wood said he started for Searsdale with Henry Wolf and a man named Mack for the purpose of getting $1,000 from Mack's father. They left the train at a railway junction, where they had dinner and drank a glass of beer. According to Wood's attorney, Wolf has no existence except in Wood's imagination.

"While sitting in the cars," said Wood, "I felt a queer sensation. A little dark man came in, and about the same time Wolf and Mack disappeared The little black man and Wolf afterward took a train. All this time I felt queer and the black man seemed to be drilling a lesson into my mind. That queer sensation continued until the Sunday on which I found myself in the Tombs in New York."

Wood denied that he had even known Williams or that he had ever seen him to his knowledge. When the direct question, "Did you kill George Williams?" was put to him by his counsel he replied: "No, positively, I did not."

Wood said that Wolf had always been his evil genius and had made much trouble for him. "When Wolf ordered me to do a certain thing I had to do it," he said. "I could not disobey him."

He said that Wolf claimed a secret relationship with him and that it was by threats against his (Wood's) father that Wolf exercised his strange influence.

Transportation of Snakes.

After having been disabled by a fire that raged under her decks in midocean for three days, the belated steamship Kingstonian arrived at Philadelphia yesterday with a remarkable cargo, that made her resemble a modern Noah's ark. Customs officers descended into the hold gingerly when they learned that below were 50 pythons from India, several 15 feet long, and at the approach of the customs officers they showed a disposition to go on the warpath. The officers insisted upon inspecting the strange cargo on deck. A Market street menagerie furnisher was the consignee, and he directed his men to transfer the pythons to bags, in order to get them ashore. The biggest python of the bunch slipped away from the men and glided along the deck, while the stevedores gave it a wide berth and one man fell overboard in his hurry to dodge. Then Policeman Kerns arrived and put one foot on the snake's neck, just behind its ugly head, while several of the dealers flung themselves upon the 15 feet of elusive scales. For nearly an hour the men tried to subdue the reptile, and it was not until a well-directed blow stunned it that it was captured. The fire that damaged the Kingstonian started two days out from Antwerp in the cotton hold. The flames spread rapidly, and the smoke that curled its way into the hold in which the crates containing the animals, birds and snakes were stored created an uproar. Thirty-five monkeys, 20 parrots and 100 canaries died. On the Kingstonian were 2,000 birds, 50 monkeys, 6 Indian leopards, 20 wildcats, an anteater and 50 pythons.

Avenged Sister's Death.

E. S. Mason, a prominent business man of Yoakum, Texas, was on Tuesday shot and killed by M. A. and P. A. Newman, brothers who were concealed in a hotel. The Newmans were armed with rifles. Mason, it is said, feared trouble, but went about in his shirt sleeves to show that he was unarmed. Several days ago Miss Lillian Newman, 28 years old, died at Runge, and shortly thereafter Dr. J. M. Boyd was bound over in $5,000 bond to answer a charge of malpractice in connection with the young woman's death. The brothers of the dead girl, one living at Alice and the other at Fort Worth visited Yoakum and the shooting followed. They surrendered and have been taken to Halletsville.

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my8 td

FOR CLERK OF GAS.—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Gas, subject to the decision of the democratic primary, and earnestly solicit your support. GEO. F. BRADLEY.
my9 td

FOR CLERK OF GAS.—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of Gas, subject to the decision of the democratic primary.
my1 tf CARTER H. SMITH.

FOR CITY AUDITOR.—I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Auditor of Public Accounts, subject to the democratic primary, Monday, May 29, 1905, and solicit the votes of my fellow-citizens. E. F. PRICE.
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my8 td EDGAR F. THOMPSON.

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my8 td

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my10 td

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY, whom I have heretofore served with all the earnestness and ability I possessed, I offer myself again as a candidate for re-election to the CLERKSHIP OF THE COURTS, subject to the primary, Monday, May 29, 1905. JOHN S. BEACH.
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TO MY FELLOW CITIZENS.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of CORPORATION ATTORNEY (Mr. Gardner L. Boothe having declined a renomination). As the time is short between now and the 29th (democratic primary), I take this means of letting my friends know of my candidacy, as it will be impossible for me to see them all in person. Respectfully,
WILLIAM E. FENDALL.
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TO THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.: I respectfully announced myself a candidate for the office of CORPORATION ATTORNEY, and earnestly solicit your votes and any support which you may render me in the democratic primary election, to be held on the 29th day of May, 1905.
Respectfully,
my16 td ROBLEY G. BRUMBACK.

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THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 18, 1905.

THE PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Police Commissioners last night will be found in the local department of the Gazette. No business was transacted, the time of the session having been consumed in discussing present conditions in certain localities in the city where property has been wantonly defaced and seriously damaged by vandals, young and old. Strange as it may seem, some of the members were not disposed to regard the matter seriously, but were rather inclined to look upon such things as natural sequences where houses were unoccupied. This seems to have been an ancient notion in Alexandria, as fine houses which at times have been without tenants have not only been defaced and damaged, but chandeliers have been wrenched from ceilings and broken up and sold for junk, while water pipes have been carried away and disposed of in a similar manner. If such acts cannot be suppressed, conditions are unfortunate, to say the least, and afford a serious state of things to people who may at times possess tenantless houses. It seems hard for many in this city to understand that streets, pavements, intersections and corners are not intended as marshaling points for the idle and vicious, and policemen, who are supposed to understand the laws, should see that they are not so used. Recently merchants of the city have been compelled, in accordance with law, to remove all obstructions from the sidewalks, and several storekeepers have been required to face the police court for violating city ordinances, while others have been fined. The law in regard to assembling on corners and creating chronic annoyances is equally plain, but this ordinance seems in Alexandria to be more honored in its breach than its observance, and so long as this is tolerated people's property and peace will be menaced.

ANNOUNCEMENT by Secretary Taft that the whole world may compete for supplying ships and material for the Panama canal comes as a shock to the iron and steel trade, inasmuch as it may lead to an investigation of the steel pools that have been manipulating prices to the detriment of American buyers. The action of the administration is regarded as based upon the recent revelations of President Ramsey, of the Wabash, who made it a point to show the President and his advisers that the steel trust has two prices, one for domestic consumers and a much lower price for the foreign market. It is feared by the trust men that President Roosevelt will now order an inquiry into the workings of the various steel pools, which regulate and control the price of steel products in the United States and also fix the prices for the world as well. British steel makers are at the mercy of the United States Corporation. Last fall, prior to the presidential election, steel rails were selling at the British mills at $22.16 per ton. The same rails made in the United States brought $28 per ton, and the price was fixed by the rail pool. There was a slackness in some lines, and the American rail makers took contracts to deliver rails in Great Britain as low as $22 per ton, delivered in Liverpool and Cardiff. This means that the steel corporation paid a railroad freight of $2.20 per ton on the rails from Pittsburg mills and $6 per ton for ocean freight, making a total of $8.20 per ton in cost of transportation, and yet the rails were laid down in a foreign port $6 per ton cheaper than a railroad company could have purchased them at the Pittsburg mill.

FOR THE edification of the 300 delegates to the recent International Railway Congress at Washington, Mr. George Westinghouse, the electrical wizard, on Tuesday, at Pittsburg, "pulled off" a railroad wreck on the interworks railroads there, which he owns, and showed how easy it was to do it all without damage, the cars being equipped with what is known as the friction draft gear, which absorbs the strains. Planned railroad collisions are entirely different from the real thing, but still, if, by mechanical contrivances, collisions can be made harmless it would seem to be criminal negligence on the part of railroads if people are hereafter either killed or injured in such accidents.

IT IS SAID that President Roosevelt absolutely refuses to rescind Secretary Taft's order that materials for the Panama canal be purchased in the cheapest market, in spite of the storm of protests the order has aroused. And in his determination the President will be upheld by every fair-minded man in the country, unless he be connected in some way with the trusts.

In the event of Mr. Ellyson's retirement in the future as chairman of the State democratic committee three gentlemen are mentioned as his successor. They are former Lieut. Gov. Edward Echols, of Staunton, Hon. Joseph T. Lawless, of Norfolk and Col. Joseph Button.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., May 18.

Secretary Taft's order that the canal commission purchase ships and supplies in the open markets of the world stands. President Roosevelt has given it his unqualified approval, notwithstanding the storm of criticism from the high protectionists in the ranks of his own party and the not altogether palatable approval of the democrats. It is now stated, however, that there is to be no wholesale buying abroad pending the session of Congress in October. It is the intention of Secretary Taft and the Panama commission to purchase at present only such supplies as are deemed necessary. Then the whole question will be passed up to the lawmakers for determination of the policy to be pursued. In the meantime American manufacturers will be given the opportunity to bid against foreign firms. If they can undersell the latter in any particular instances, they will of course be favored. It is claimed by Secretary Taft's friends that he did not approve the decision of the executive committee of the Panama Canal Commission without serious consideration. He was fully aware of the stir that the order would make when published. He felt that his course was right, however, and was willing to meet the storm when it should burst. He had decided that the government was being held up by the trusts and adopted what he believed to be the best means of demonstrating that fact to the country. "We are going to show them that they will have to take their feet out of the trough," is the way a high official of the administration expressed it.

No decision in the Bowen-Loomis controversy can be reached this week. Secretary Taft is very anxious to conclude the matter as speedily as possible but in his determination to probe the case to the bottom he has found it necessary to summon several witnesses to give oral tesimony in regard to points raised in the various papers submitted by the two principals to the inquiry. A number of the documents in the case are in Spanish and these are being translated in the War Department. All of the other papers are being copied and arranged for the Secretary's convenience. Mr. Bowen has filed all the papers he has in his possession bearing on the controversy and has rested his case. Mr. Loomis is now preparing his reply to Mr. Bowen's presentation and his explanation of the matters referred to in the reports forwarded to the State Department by Mr. Bowen from Caracas during the last few mouths.

In order to set at rest all reports to the contrary, Secretary Morton announced this morning that he would not leave the Cabinet before September 1st., next. When Mr. Morton was asked as to the truth or falsity of the report that he had decided to enter the firm of Redmond and Co., of Wall street, New York, he refused to either deny or affirm the rumor. He said, however, that he had not absoutely made up his mind as to his future business relations. While no positive announcement has been made it is generally understood at the Navy Department that the President will transfer Secretary of of Commerce and Labor Metcalf to the navy portfolio upon the retirement from the Cabinet next autumn of Secretary Morton.

The southern industrial parliament, which is to be held here next week, promises to be of great benefit to the industrial development of the South. The delegates, appointed by the governors of states represented, are all said to be men of the highest standing in their communities and experts in agriculture and commercial subjects. Among the speakers will be Governor Robert B. Glenn, of North Carolina, who will make the opening address on Tuesday; Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who will discuss "agriculture;" Secretary of Commerce and Labor Metcalf, who will talk on "manufacturing industries of the South;" Commissioner of Immigration Sargent, whose subject will be "Immigration, its possibilities and problems;" Gustavas H. Schwab, of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, and Gifford Pinchot, of the bureau of forestry.

Over four hundred doctors against tuberculosis, more than a third of whom were women, gathered this morning at the first meeting of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The session will last two days, during which time the promoters of the movement hope to see organized a work for the eradication of consumption that will extend throughout the country. Dr. Willsam Osler, regius professor of medicine at Oxford University, made the principal address at the opening session. He laid stress on education as the means of fighting the disease, saying that the mass of knowledge gathered on the subject is stupendous, the present necessity being the dissemination of that knowledge through education in order to make it effective.

The Chinese legation in this city has received advices confirming the news that the Merchants' Guild in China has determined to institute a boycott on all American goods until less rigorous exclusion laws are adopted by the United States toward Chinese merchants and laborers. At the legation it is said that this will mean that not a single yard of American cotton goods, for example, will hereafter be purchased in China. The Chinese Merchants' Guild is a very powerful organization and practically controls the trade of the entire country. Its action, if persisted in, will undoubtedly affect American trade with China to a considerable extent.

The Interstate Commerce Commission this afternoon rendered its long expected and important decision on the question of freight differentials on goods from interior points for exports. It sustains the validity of differentials in favor of Baltimore and Philadelphia, as against New York and Boston, but reduces the amount. Commissioner Prouty prepared the opinion, which covers 80 printed pages. Comissioner Clements filed a dissenting opinion opposing the fixing of any differenials by the commission.

John Ball Osborne, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., a son of the late Rep. Edwin S. Osborne, of that place, has been appointed Chief of the bureau of trade relations in the State Department. He succeeds Mr. Frederic Emory in his new position, to which he was appointed after passing a civil service examination.

Senator Carmack, of Tennessee, thoroughly agrees with the President and Secretary Taft in refusing to be "held up" in the purchase of material and supplies for the Panama canal. He sees in this move a strong argument in favor of free trade as against protection and thinks the President will make an onslaught upon tariff schedules.

Speaker Cannon, Representative Curtis of Kansas, Senators Hemenway and McCumber and Eugene N. Foss of Boston were among the callers at the White House today who discussed the proposition made by Secretaty Taft to purchase canal supplies abroad whenever prices for the same goods were higher in the home markets. The Speaker and Senator Hemenway were noncommittal when they emerged from the President's office, but the other gentlemen mentioned said that they were in hearty accord with the Secretary's plan.

Philip C. Payne was today appointed postmaster at Leeland, Stafford county, Va.

A dispatch from Bad Nauheim says Secretary Hay's health is improving steadily. Ambassador Tower will visit Mr. Hay tomorrow.

News of the Day.

Capt. John S. Wise, formerly of Virginia, spent sometime with the President yesterday trying to persuade him to run over into Virginia for a couple of days fishing with him. After the interview Mr. Wise confessed that all his arguments had been unsuccessful.

There are reports that Admiral Rojestvensky has broken down, and has asked to be relieved from the command of the Baltic fleet. The admiral is said to have shown utter disregard of all discussions upon the subject of neutrality. It is believed in some quarters that Admiral Togo has planned to fight the Russian fleet south of Formoso.

Just as the Baptist Convention at St. Louis was about to adjourn yesterday, Dr Josiah M. Cushing, president of the Baptist University, Rangoon, India, was stricken while occupying a seat on the rostrum and fell dying to the floor. While waiting for the arrival of an ambulance a prayer was offered for Dr. Cushing. Before the arrival of medical assistance Dr. Cushing died.

President Samuel Spencer, of the Southern Railway, yesterday made an address on the dangers of paternalism before the National Association of Manufacturers at Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Spencer held, in effect, that the proposed railroad-rate regulation by the government might establish a precedent for the regulation of profits by manufacturing corporations. President Parry, of the association, won his fight against the exercise by the government of the rate-making power when the resolutions committee refused to report a resolution approving proposed legislation in that direction.

The chasm made by the civil war in the Baptist Church organization has been bridged at last by representatives of both branches in St. Louis and the conventions, North and South, of the denomination are now united in one organization—the General Convention of Baptists of North America. The geographical scope of the organization is to be North America and its islands. There is to be a president, three vice presidents and a treasurer. Churches, local, State and Territorial organizations are to have representation. It is to have no authority, except that exercised by the weight of its opinion. It is not to interfere with the affairs of either of the existing organizations. The next meeting is to be held in 1906, and after that they are to be held triennially.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Caroline Marshall, widow of the late Joseph Marshall, died at her home in Fredericksburg Wednesday, in the 90th year of her age.

Mr. William Lane Slaughter died at his home in Fredericksburg, Tuesday, after a protracted illness with heart trouble, aged 58 years.

Mrs. Mary Appleton Thompson, widow of Dr. William M. Thompson, died yesterday afternoon at her home in Culpeper, after a lingering illness.

R. F. Beattie, a well-known citizen, who was returning to his home after a consultation with his physician, dropped dead on the street at Charlottesville yesterday.

Dr. J. Sills Daniels, of Richmond, was arrested in Chesterfield county yesterday by a postoffice inspector on the charge of using the mails for immoral purposes.

After a courtship of 46 years, Col. Edward M. Triplett, of Page county, and Miss Emma Thornton, of Rappahannock county, have just been married. The groom is 76 years old and the bride 68.

Dr. William H. Taylor of Richmond nearly a month ago received a silver loving cup from his class in medical jurisprudence at the Virginia Medical College as an indorsing of teacher against the criticism of his now famous lecture, which treated the immortality of the soul from a scientific standpoint.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patient attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State of the following patents: Harry L. Makely, of Centerville, for a corn planter. Thomas Pulman, of Cameron run, for a Barrel ventilator and cooler. Also trade-mark for "Cranberry" brand for horse shoes, by Tredegar Company, of Richmond.

Dr. William S. Love narrowly escaped death at Winchester yesterday, when his driving horse became frightened and ran away. The animal dashed the buggy against a fire hydrant, climbed the steps of the Shenandoah Valley Bank building, collided with a spring wagon, upset the buggy and threw the doctor under it, while the vehicle was dragged along the street. The maddened animal was finally stopped and Dr. Love rescued. He suffered a severe nervous shock and was bruised, but escaped serious injury.

The marriage of Miss Isabella Green Stone, daughter of the late Thomas Stone, of Warrenton, to John Thornley, of New York, took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's uncle, George B. Stone. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wm. H. Laird, rector of St. James' Protestant Episcopal Church. John Payne Stone acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Thornley left on the evening train for an extended trip North, and their future residence will be in New York city. Mr. Thornley is a young attorney.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a Cough or Cold, I have taken Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Mr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Trial bottle free.

Episcopal Council.

WEDNESDAY—FIRST DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

Charlottesville, Va., May 17, 1905.

The 110th annual session of the council of the Episcopal Diocese of Virginia convened in Christ Church, Charlottesville, this morning at ten o'clock, with divine service. The sermon was preached by the bishop and was followed by the celebration of holy communion in which all the members of the council participated. Besides Bishop Gibson the following clergy took part in the service. The rector, Rev. H. B. Lee, Rev. John Moncure, D. D., of Richmond; Rev. Frederick W. Neve, of Ivy, and Rev. E. L. Goodwin, of Fairfax.

After divine service the council assembled for business with Bishop Gibson in the chair. The roll was called by the secretary, Rev. Everard Meade, of Pohick Church, Fairfax county, and 39 clergy and 35 laity responded to their names.

There was some discussion on the publication of the bishop's sermon, which was on the Christian Ministry, and the bishop ruled that the matter of publication should go before the finance committee in case of probable expenditure of money, before it be considered by the council.

The following committees were appointed by the bishop:

On State of the Church—Rev. F. W. Neve, Rev. S. S. Hepburn, Rev. R. W. Micon, D. D., Wm. Beverly, G. M. Walker, James Caskie.

Widows' and Orphans' Fund—Rev. G. O. Mead, J. Wilton.

Episcopal Fund—Rev. R. J. F. Burks, C. E. Cary.

Brotherhood—Rev. L. R. Comba, C. L. Lippitt.

Disabled Clergy—Rev. H. H. Barber, Frederick H. Myers.

Bruce Fund—Rev. R. C. Cowling, C. E. Jordon.

Diocesan Missions—Rev. M. S. Eagle, Robert V. Harrison.

Parochial Reports—Rev. J. H. Dickinson, Rev. William H. Laird, Rev. J. J. Gravatt, Rev. C. A. Brown, C. O. Dearmont, R. W. Hilleary.

New Parishes—Rev. R. K. Massie, Rev. J. M. White.

Elections — Rev. Berryman Green, Wm. E. Bibb.

Finance—Joseph Bryan, John G. Williams, L. M. Blackford.

Clerical report—W. W. Chamblin, Robert Beverly, T. T. Slaughter, John F. Glenn, R. W. Mackreth, J. C. Ewell, D. H. Griffith, George J. Anderson, P. A. Arthur, Thos. G. Birckhead.

Sunday-school—Rev. H. F. Kloman, Rev. S. S. Ware, Rev. Thomas G. Semmes, F. L. Taylor, Thomas Poindexter.

Prayer Book Distribution—Rev. J. W. Ware, J. C. Phillips.

Increase of the Ministry—Rev. S. A. Wallis, D. D., Corbin Thompson.

Credentials—Rev. Robb White, A. W. Wallace, H. C. Marchant.

Rev. L. R. Mason, of Grace Church, Richmond, announced that he proposed to offer tomorrow a resolution providing that canon IV be amended to read as follows:

"Ministers to be careful in admitting to the holy communion. No minister shall enroll any persons as communicants in the parish or congregation under his charge until he has conversed with them on the subject, or unless he shall be satisfied that they they have been regular communicants in some other parish or congregation, nor shall he enroll anyone who is known to deny the doctrines of the gospel as generally set forth in the authorized standards of the church."

Rev. E. L. Goodwin, historiographer of the diocese, then read a most interesting report on certain of the old churches and parish lines, which will be published in the journal.

The thanks of the council with the bishop's warm approval were unanimously tendered to Mr. Goodwin for his most valuable paper.

Rev. Dr. McGill of Trinity Church, Manassas moved that a committee be appointed to consider the matter of giving assistance to the Episcopal Church at Blacksburg, the seat of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute. The motion was adopted and the bishop appointed Rev. Dr. McGill and R. U. Brooking of Harrisonburg and Mr. Fred Valentine as the committee.

Rev. Morris S. Eagle of Louisa county gave notice that tomorrow he would offer a resolution that canon VIII, section 3, be amended. The section provides for the election of vestrymen.

Rev. Everard Meade, the secretary of the diocese then offered a resolution that a committee of three be appointed to revise the canons. This motion was carried and the bishop named Revs. E. Meade, H. B. Lee and Judge J. M. White as the committee.

Rev. Robb White next introduced the Rev. H. M. McIlhany general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at the University of Virginia, who gave a cordial invitation to the member of the council to visit the new G. Y. C. A. building at the University although not yet open to the public.

Rev. H. B. Lee offered a resolution that the American Church Building Fund Commission be heartily endorsed by the council. This was done.

Rev. Everard Meade then read the report of Miss Sallie Stuart, of Alexandria, the secretary of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. It was most interesting and reported the formation of three new branches in the diocese.

Prayer was offered in behalf of Rev. J. Peints Tyler whose mother died last night.

The Council then adjourned to meet at 3.30 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

The Council re-assembled for business in Christ Church, with Bishop Gibson in the chair. A forceful and interesting address was delivered by Mr. Herbert Carleton, general secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, on the work of the Brotherhood.

Rev. H. B. Lee, of Charlottesville, then read the report of Miss Duval, principal of the Virginia Female Institute. The past year has been a successful one and the school has been full. The health has been excellent and the scholarship good. The institute has assisted many pupils not able to meet the usual charges and is doing a widespread good.

Professor Massie moved that it be the sense of the council that the total salary from all sources paid to the clergy in the diocese should not in any case be less than $800 and a rectory for each clergyman. This motion was carried unanimously after some discussion.

The committee on church property reported that $10,000 had been paid during the last council year on the bishop's residence in Richmond.

In future it was ordered by the council that the secretary attend to the obtaining of special rates from the various railroad and steamboat lines for delegates to each annual council. Heretofore this duty has rested with the rector or local committee of the church when the council assembles. The council then adjourned to meet at eight o'clock to night in the interest of diocesan missions.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Fleets.

London, May 18.—The correspondent of the Star at Hong Kong wires that a fleet of 150 Chinese junks, fully laden with provisions for the Baltic fleet, was sighted off Kwangchauwan (St. John island), on May 16. The junks were evidently under the direct control of the Russians. The junks showed no lights until they were approached by a steamer which sighted them. When the vessels saw they were observed they suddenly displayed their signals. When the junks learned that the steamer carried newspaper correspondents, the lights were again put out. Foreign agents in China are reported to be trying to engage Chinese coast pilots, but for what purpose is not known.

Saigon, Cochin China, May 18.—A junction of the fleets of Admiral Rojestvensky and Rear Admiral Nebogatoff was effected off this port and outside territorial waters on May 8. The combined fleet remained in the vicinity of the point where the junction was effected until May 14, when it started seaward, sailing in an easterly direction. Admiral de Jonquieres, the French commander in Indo-China, reports that his inspection of the Annam coast, looking for the Russian fleet, was entirely satisfactory, and that no Russian vessels were discovered in any of the harbors or bays.

Singapore, Straits Settlement, May 18. The steamer Segovia which arrived here today, reports that on May 15 she passed 42 vessels of the Baltic fleet, forty miles from Cape Varella, on the Annam coast. The vessels at that time were steaming slowly toward the north.

Hong Kong, May 18.—Information has reached here that the Baltic fleet left Hon Kohe bay last Sunday. The vessels started northward.

Death From Morphine Poisoning.

New York, May 18.—Herbert Kepler said to be the son of a wealthy business man of Deland, Florida, was found dead in a room at Herman Sussern's hotel from morphine poisoning this morning. A woman who said she was Mrs. Donna Miller, who accompanied him to the hotel about nine days ago and who was the first to report the man's death to the hospital clerk, was arrested. At the police station the woman said Kelper committed suicide. They were neighbors at Deland, she said, and were very fond of each other. Some time ago, according to her story, Kepler became estranged from his father because of alleged forgeries for which young Kepler was accused. Everything possible was done to bring about a reconciliation between father and son, but the elder Kepler refused to help his son or to have any thing to do with him. An elopement was then planned and during the absence of her husband, she in company with Kepler came to this city. Mrs. Miller also said that Kepler had a wife and two children at Deland. Kepler was about 37 years old. The woman is about 28 years old.

Another Man Disappears.

Bristol, Tenn., May 18. — Black Mountain, in southwest Virginia, records what appears to be a mysterious disappearance. J. Harvy Wood, a Bristol merchant, recently left for Big Stone Gap, Virginia, where he purchased a ticket on the Louisville & Nashville road for Pennington Gap, Lee county, Virginia. This is as far as the missing man could be traced and his relatives here are puzzled to understand what has become of him. It was in this same mountain in 1903 that Edward T. Wentz, a young Pennsylvania millionaire, so mysteriously disappeared, and whose disappearance resulted in the memorable search that proved fruitless, regardless of rewards aggregating $55,000. The skeleton of Wentz was found some time later in a lonely spot in the mountains and the mystery of his tragic fate has never been cleared. Early in the same year John B. Gearhart, a Bristol insurance man, disappeared in the same region and nothing definite has ever been heard as to what became of him.

Crisis in Turkey.

Manchester, Eng., May 18.—The Guardian says that a crisis is imminent in Turkey. The Turks, according to the paper's information, have suffered several terrible defeats in the Yemen province of Arabia, where an insurrection has been in progress for so long, which have never been reported by the press. The Sultan is furious with the heads of the military department. It is rumored that recently he broke a chair over the shoulders of military secretary in a burst of passion. Fears are expressed that if the Bedouins begin a march on Mecca and threaten the palace of the sultan a revolution will follow.

Execution of a Murderer.

Hartford, Conn., May 18. Gershon Marx, the aged Colchester murderer, suffered the penalty of his crime at the State prison just after midnight. His last words were a protest of innocence. Marx was convicted of the murder and butchery a year ago last March, of his farm hand, Paul Rodecki, whose body was found on Marx' farm. Marx is believed to have murdered another farm hand, Paul Parker whose body was found on a farm that Marx worked. Marx's wife is in the New London county jail.

Letter to R. Lee Field,

Alexandria, Va.

Dear Sir: Clothing is just like paint. It fits or it don't; it wears or it don't; turns weather and water or not; and goes out of fashion.

What do we wear clothes for? Did you ever think of it? Different persons have different reasons, no doubt, but one paints Devoe for beauty, to be in fashion, and keep out water.

Fashion says paint; we all paint. There is beauty in paint; we paint a good deal for that. And buildings are costly and fashionable; put on a waier-proof two or three coats of paint, and your buildings last as long as you keep them dry. It costs nothing to paint; it costs your buildings not to.

Devoe is the paint that lasts; disappointing paints are the paints that cost.

Yours truly,

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P. S.—E. S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

Governor Montague.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., May 18.—Governor Montague returned from Chase City today much improved in health. He will speak at Bedford Monday. He will attend the State School Board meeting on Tuesday and will fill other appointments. He will visit Lynchburg May 25 and Bedford May 29.

Senator Martin will speak in Norfolk tonight.

The Chicago Strike.

Chicago, May 18.—There were no new developments in the Chicago strike today. Mr. Gompers and representatives of the employers' association held conferences last night and another took place today, but no decisive action followed.

A meeting was held in Levy Mayer's office this morning. Representatives from the team owners association, the aldermanic committee and employers were present. Out of this meeting is expected to grow some definite plan for a settlement to be laid before Gompers when later in the day he meets Mayer and Darrow.

The hearing in the injunctional suits before Master in Chancery Sherman was postponed today because of the absence of attorney Mayer at the various peace conferences.

Remarkable Proclamation.

Odessa, May 18.—Tens of thousands of copies of a remarkable proclamation issued by the social democratic revolutionaries, calling on the people to hope and pray for the destruction of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet, have have been scattered broadcast through this part of the country. The proclamation warns the people that they have unhappily been increasing the chances of a Russian victory in the war, which would give a renewed issue of life to the autocracy and bureaucracy. Every liberal and patriotic Russian, the proclamation says, must hope and pray for the destruction of the Russian fleet. If that consummation fails, it then behooves the people to raise the standard of open and relentless revolution.

Vladivostok Prepared for Siege.

St. Petersburg, May 18.—According to the latest advices from Vladivostok, the garrison there now numbers 50,000, and is well prepared to stand a long siege if necessary. The place is well supplied with cattle, coal and other necessaries, as well as with ammunition. General Linevitch is reported to have said the fortress is prepared to stand a siege for a full year. It is stated that several of the torpedo boats belonging to Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet have returned to Libau, Russia, in a damaged condition. No details as to how many vessels have arrived, the extent of their injuries, or how they were damaged, can be obtained.

Funeral of Veteran.

New York, May 18.—New York paid obsequious honors today to the late Hiram Cronk, the last soldier of the war of 1812. He was 105 years old. Long lines of New Yorkers, with bared heads, filed past the flower-covered bier in which the dead soldier lay in the city hall, this morning. Over fifty thousand paid honor to the late veteran yesterday. The expenses of the unusual, but fitting honors to Hiram Cronk, are borne by the city. The casket was closed at 10 o'clock and the funeral cortege started for Cypress Hill, where the interment was made.

Bishops Deposed.

Rome, May 18.—The correspondent to the Publishers' Press in answer to inquiries made today at the Vatican was informed that the Bishops of Montreal, Sicily and Syracuse, Sicily, have been suspended for failure to enforce the law of celibacy, thereby creating a scandal in their dioceses. It is stated that a majority of the priests in these dioceses have been keeping mistresses publicly. The Bishop of Sardinia has been deposed for the same reason. The Pope, it was announced, is determined to stamp out this evils at any cost.

Steamer Floated.

New York, May 18.—The Cunard line steamer Caronia, which ran aground on Tuesday afternoon, a mile off shore, at Sandy Hook, while bound for Liverpool, was floated at 8 o'clock this morning. The vessel is uninjured. Captain Warr has sent a message to the company saying that his ship requires nothing and will sail about 4:30 p. m., so as to cross the bar at high water. All are well on board.

Outlaw Killed.

Manila, May 18.—News has been received that Pala, the outlaw Moro chief, who has been pursued for the last two weeks on the island of Jolo, by troops under the command of General Leonard Wood, has been killed. His few surviving followers are being trailed by troops. At the beginning of the uprising Pala was reported to have a following of 600 well-armed men, most of whom have been killed.

A Manila Bank Closed.

Manila, May 18.—The American bank of this city is closed by order of General Wright and is now in charge of the insular auditor. The reason given is the protection of the depositors. The capital of the bank is $50,000 paid in and $100,000 subscribed. Its deposits are estimated at $122,656.

New York Stock Market.

New York, May 18 11 a. m.—The room traders, with few exceptions intensified the statements made in regard to the Panama canal supplies into immense importance, and they conducted bear operations this morning on a large scale. A half dozen most active traders sold over 50,000 shares, chiefly iron and steel shares, in the first half hour and the declines then resulting caused a feeling of uneasiness among outside operators over what seemed to them a prospective reopening of the tariff question.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The reports that the plague has broken out among the soldiers at Harbin, Manchuria, are denied in St. Petersburg.

The London Central News says that the steamer Lincluden, which was captured by the Japanese south of Corea on Monday, was Japanese property. This is the third of their own vessels which Japanese warships have captured while they were carrying produce to Japan.

A bill providing for a separate consular service for Norway, independent of the joint department which had been maintained by Sweden and Norway, was passed by the Odelsthing, or lower house of the Storthing or national parliament, today. It is believed that by this action a crisis will result in the affairs of the joint nation.

Spooks in Parliament.

Sir Gilbert Parker, who claims to have seen the astral body of Sir Carne Rasch in the British House of Commons while the latter was ill at his home, in receiving corroboration of his extraordinary hallucination. Sir Arthur Hayter writes as follows.

"I beg to say that I not only saw Sir Carne Rasch myself sitting below the gangway, but I called him to the attention of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman with whom I was talking on the front opposite bench, saying I wondered why all the papers had inserted notices of Sir Carne's illness while he was sitting opposite, apparently well. Sir Henry replied that he hoped his illness was not catching."

It seems that this is not the first instance of the sort that has occurred in the House. In 1897 Mr. O'Connor, an Irish member, went to Ireland to be present at the death-bed of one of his parents. Swift McNeil saw O'Connor in his usual seat on the third opposition bench. He was also seen from the press gallery.

Thirty years ago a member who was abroad suffering from an acute malady received an urgent five-line whip. He replied that he would attend the House at whatever cost to his health. The House divided on the matter at issue, and the division lobby tellers saw the member and counted his vote. The next day it was found that the number of votes recorded by the division clerks was less than given by the lobby clerks, and on the list of the former this particular name did not appear as it did on the list of the latter. At the time the division was taken the member was dead.

Two Men Electrocuted.

Two men were accidentally electrocuted within an hour at Newport News yesterday.

Ashby Harris, a well-known young man of a prominent Georgia family, was killed by coming in contact with an electric light wire, which had fallen to the ground on Huntington avenue. The tragedy was witnessed by several marines from the cruiser Maryland, who pulled the struggling man from the wire. A faint spark of life was left in the body, but efforts to save him were in vain. Harris was a native of Americus, Ga. His father was a Georgian, who went to New Jersey soon after the civil war, and was elected United States Senator from that State. Harris's mother was a Miss Ashby, of Warrenton Va. Chief of Police Johnson of Newport News, who was a roomate of the deceased at Roanoke College, has notified D. G. Purse, commissioner of freight at Savannah Ga., and an uncle of the deceased, of the accident.

Earl Gilchrist, 30 years old, employed as a lineman by the Southern Bell Telephone Company, was shocked to death on a pole while cutting down a number of dead wires. He had just cut four, and, while lowering them, they swagged, coming in contact with an electric light wire. A colored helper of the lineman ran for aid, and shortly afterward the badly scorched body, which was hanging to the pole by a life line, was lowered to the ground. Gilchrist was a native of Lynchburg.

Summer Schools.

The seventeenth annual session of the Virginia Summer School of Methods will be held this year at the University of Virginia, beginning Monday, June 26th, and ending Friday, August 4th, covering a period of six weeks. Superintendent Edward C. Glass, of Lynchburg, has arranged a large variety of courses and employed one of the ablest faculties in the history of the school.

A State summer school will be held in Norfolk, beginning Monday, June 26th, and closing Friday, July 21. Dr. Thomas Jefferson Stubbs, of the College of William and Mary, will be the conductor, and Mr. R. A. Dobie, superintendent of the Norfolk public schools, has been chosen local manager.

A State summer normal school will be held again this year at Emory and Henry College, beginning Wednesday, June 28th and closing Friday July 28. Mr. Harris Hart, principal of the Roanoke public high school, will be the conductor.

A State summer school for colored teachers will be held at the Virginia Normal and Industrial Institute, at Petersburg, beginning June 12, and closing July 7th.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucuous surfaces.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Good Suggestion.

Mrs. C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City, Fla., has written the manufactures that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy in cases of pains in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus, by taking it in water as hot as can be drank. That when taken in this way the effect is double in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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The Famous Little Pills EARLY RISERS cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Billousness, etc. They never gripe or sicken, but impart early rising energy. Good for children or adults. Sold by W. F. Creighton, 401 King street, and corner Queen and Patrick streets.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad, but loving remembrance of my dear wife, ARMENTA CRAVEN JOHNSON, who departed this life four years ago today.

If love and care could death prevent,
Thy days would not so soon be spent;
Wife and mother, oh, can it be
Four years we have mourned for thee?
And yet it seems so fresh, the pain—
We count them over and over again.
Loved in life, remembered in death.

BY HER HUSBAND AND SON.
W. L. C.

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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 18, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:44 and sets 7:08. High water at 7:33 a. m. and 8:06 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section partly cloudy tonight and Friday; light to fresh northwest to west winds.

Democratic Committee.

The city democratic committee met again at the Hotel Fleishmann last night for the purpose of making final arrangements for the democratic primary for local offices, to be held May 29. Chairman Bendheim presided and all of the candidates were present. It was decided that all white voters and all known colored democrats may vote in the primary. Those who offer to vote will be required to show that they have complied with the law in reference to registering and paying the required poll tax and must pledge themselves to support the nominees of the primary. The expense of the primary will amount to about $112 and is divided between the candidates on a sliding scale, the amounts assessed against each candidate varying from $5 to $8, according to whether there is no opposition, one opponent or more than one. Each candidate will be allowed to print tickets for himself, while the committee will furnish a general ticket. Capt. J. E. King, who was a candidate for auditor, has withdrawn from the contest. The cards of the other candidates are published elsewhere in the Gazette.

Death of Dr. Bayne.

Dr. John W. Bayne, a prominent practitioner of Washington, died suddenly yesterday from suffocation as the result of an affection of the throat. At the time of his death he was president of the medical board of Providence Hospital and professor of clinical surgery at Georgetown University. He was at one time a surgeon in the United States army, and during the war with Spain rendered service as a major and brigade surgeon. Dr. Bayne was born in Prince George's county, Maryland, 59 years ago and belonged to a well-known Maryland family. Dr. Bayne was married in this city in 1872 to Miss Mae Ashby, daughter of the late R. S. Ashby. He is survived by his widow, a son, Dr. Breckinridge Bayne, and five daughters —Mrs. E. S. Theall, Mrs. D. B. Tennant and Misses Gertrude, Harriet and Louise Bayne. The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock Friday morning from the family residence, 1141 Connecticut avenue, Washington. The interment will be in the family burial lot at St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church in Prince George's county, Md.

Committee Meeting.

The committees on streets and general laws met in the chamber of the Common Council last night for the purpose of hearing statements from merchants concerning the law forbidding the placing of obstructions on sidewalks. A number of business men of the city were present, most of whom stated their grievances. The joint committee subsequently held a meeting at which the Mayor was sustained in his action in enforcing the law. It was, however, agreed to recommend an amendment to the law by which merchants will be allowed to use three feet of the pavement from the building line on which to display their goods under certain conditions, but the space near the curbstones will be kept clear of obstructions. The action of the committee is regarded as conservative and calculated to meet the requirements of the community.

The New Ferry Slip.

The work of removing the piles from the ferry slip preparatory to the construction of the new slip and ferry house is still in progress. The company intends to metamorphose the premises, and when the new house shall have been built teams will go aboard and leave steamers without crossing the exit and entry of passengers. Under the old regime this was a chronic source of complaint and there were many narrow escapes of passengers from serious injury. The freight house and waiting room will be placed north of the present site. The entire space occupied by the company will be under cover and the area paved with vitrified brick. Plans of the purposed improvements will be submitted to Council at its next meeting and permission asked for the carrying out of the same.

King Roughbeard.

All parents who wish to know how to manage a disobedient daughter can receive instructions at the Opera House tonight from the King and Queen of Fustia, which are taken by two little girls, Christina Kemper and Emma Carter. Miss Cleone Riley and Edward Howell, as Kings of Pomposa and Rustia, respectively, also have attractive parts. The chorus is composed of 150 children, between the ages of 6 and 12, who have been working hard for the past six weeks, and they deserve the encouragement of a packed house. This is a children's entertainment for the benefit of other children—the Free Kindergarten, which the leading educators of the country say is most important, being the foundation on which the whole superstructure of higher education and good citizenship is based.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Hall, colored, arrested by Officer Gill on suspicion of stealing a door mat, had his case continued.

Bernard Nowland, arrested by Officers Bell and Nicholson for drunken and disorderly conduct and for risisting the officers, forfeited $10 collateral by failing to appear.

John McLeod, arrested by Officer Roberts for disorderly conduct and distroying property, was fined $5.

Harrie Sims and Harvey Ticer, arrested by Officers Bettis and Knight for fighting, had their case continued.

W. C. T. U.

The ladies of the Allison W. C. T. U. will hold their regular weekly prayer meeting at the Children's Home, on Duke street, this evening at 7:30 o'clock, to which all are invited. The meeting will be led by Rev. Mr. Fisher, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The ladies of the Allison W. C. T. U. will hold their regular business meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Children's Home, on Duke street.

Police Commissioners.

A meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners was held last night. Mayor Paff presided and Messrs. Lawler, Fisher and Graham were present.

The Mayor submitted a communication from Chief Webster announcing the recent sickness of Officers Sherwood and Mayhugh and the temporary absence from duty of those officers.

Mr. Lawler stated that the chief generally sends in a report concerning the working of the force during the month. He called attention to the fact that the Mayor had suspended Officer Henderson for five days, and that the board had not been apprised of this by the chief.

The Mayor stated that he would inform the board of his action.

Mr. Lawler said his honor's procedure met with his approval.

Mr. Lawler called attention to the defacement and serious injury of the house on the northeast corner of Wilkes and Fairfax streets, belonging to Mr. W. E. Fendall. These acts of vandalism has been committed by boys and young men who were allowed to congregate at that intersection day and night and annoy people living in the neighborhood. Mr. Fendall had complained to the policemen, to the Police Commissioners and the Mayor, while the newspapers on several occasions had commented upon the disagreeable conditions existing at that intersection. Policemen were supposed to be on duty in that section day and night, while two officers lived within a square of the place.

Mayor Paff said Mr. Fendall had complained to him of the manner in which his property was being damaged. His honor suggested that the house was unoccupied and consequently was liable to be defaced and damaged, as was the case with the old courthouse on north Columbus street. The Mayor said that there were but four men on duty in the city during the day, and that they could not be everywhere.

Mr. Lawler said the commissioners should put more men on the street by clearing out the station house. Too many officers were kept about police headquarters, and the manner in which the force was worked did not suit him.

The Mayor acknowledged that certain beneficial changes could be made, and said that he had desired to confer with the members of the board in regard to matters on the lines suggested by Mr. Lawler, but had been unable to do so. He thought three men should be at the station house instead of five.

Mr. Lawler said the same men should not be continued at the station house, but that there should be a rotation.

Mayor Paff opposed such a change. Some men were more fitted for station house work than others. Recently two men who had been appointed station keepers had asked to be returned to their beats.

Mr. Lawler again called attention to street disorders and vandalism, and said the corner of Wilkes and Fairfax streets was not the only theatre of such scenes, but that Mr. Nugent, living at the northwest corner of King and Payne streets, had also complained of the procedures in that neighborhood. The people expected the commissioners to remedy these evils.

The Mayor said other people made complaints as well as Mr. Fendall.

Mr. Lawler replied that ball playing was carried on in the street in front of Mr. Fendall's property daily, Sundays not excepted, and that the locality was the assembling point of the neighborhood.

Mr. Graham said the disagreeable state of affairs complained of was doubtless due to the lethargy of the officers, some of whom were inclined to loaf at certain points. They should be more alert. He had often noticed them standing motionless at certain points.

The Mayor said he did not consider it his duty to inspect the beats and see that officers were on the move. The chief should see that the men perform their duty.

Mr. Lawler suggested that the Mayor could inquire into derelictions of duty when they were brought to his attention.

Mr. Fisher wanted the matter laid over until next meeting.

The Mayor said he would call a meeting to further consider the subjects under discussion.

Mr. Lawler suggested that the chief should read the riot act to the men and compel them to keep order in their beats.

Mr. Fisher and Mr. Graham concurred with Mr. Lawler. The first named however, said there were many chronic grumblers in Alexandria, and that people should make their complaints to the board in writing.

Mayor Paff repeated his observations concerning the fate of idle houses, and Mr. Graham suggested that all had been boys, and a vacant house was a temptation to juveniles.

The board adjourned with the understanding that the chief would be called upon to map out certain beasts, rearrange the "tricks," &c., and submit the same to the board.

Petty Thievery.

A lady on north St. Asaph street today placed her hat on an ice box. In the meantime a colored porter entered to deliver some articles, and his departure and the vanishing of the hat occurred at the same time.

A carpenter while at work on Cameron street yesterday hung his coat upon a gate. When he returned to don the garment he discovered that some thief had appropriated it unto himself.

Barn Burned.

A barn belonging to Mr. Colin Studds, passenger agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad in Washington, near the tollgate on the Little River turnpike, about one mile from this city, was burned at 11 o'clock last night. The structure, with its contents, including farming implements and $125 worth of feed, was destroyed. The property was insured to the amount of $400.

Strawberries.

Home-grown strawberries are becoming plentiful and at prices within the reach of all. Some fine strawberries were in market this morning. They sold from 7 to 12 cents a box. Yesterday they could be procured in stores in the southeastern section of the city at 6 cents.

Home-grown cabbages have also made their appearance.

The Minstrels.

The minstrel entertainment under the auspices of the Relief and Reliance fire companies at the Opera House was again attended by a large crowd last night. The show was heartily enjoyed and was a financial success. The entertainment was given under the efficient management of Mr. Wm. L. Hoy.

Personal.

Miss Daingerfield, of Alexandria, is visiting Miss Nannie Sullivan at her home, 1728 North Calvert street.—[Baltimore American.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Purvis and Miss Margaret McG. Ashby have gone to Saranac Lake, N. Y., to spend a few weeks.

Mr. B. L. Jones, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting his sisters in this city.

Mr. Daniel Reid and Miss Daisy Davis were married last night by Rev. Mr. Ewell at the residence of the groom's brother, Mr. Samuel R. Reid, 315 north Pitt street.

Mr. Richard E. Byrd of Winchester, was in this city today.

Junior Order of Mechanics.

Alexandria Council, No. 33, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, will give a musical entertainment tonight at the close of their regular weekly meeting. An interesting programme of exercises has been prepared for the occasion.

Nan Patterson.

Abraham Levy, who defended Nan Patterson during her three trials for the murder of Caesar Young, announced in New York yesterday that he had withdrawn from the case, finally and absolutely. Mr. Levy said he understood that Miss Patterson intended to accept an offer from a theatrical manager, and added that he strongly disapproved of such an action.

Miss Patterson left Washington yesterday afternoon for New York, where she will begin preparations for her return to the stage. She makes her first appearance on Sunday night next at Hurtig & Seamon's Music Hall, in New York city, and will sing at each performance two songs. It is said she has already contracted with Mrs. Osborne for two gowns, paying $500 apiece for them. Her act will take up about 20 minutes, and she will sing the "Tell Me Pretty Maiden" song from "Florodora," assisted by the eight girls in the chorus. It is announced that she is to get $3,000 for the first week, and if she "makes good" the contract will run for one year at $1,500 a week and a certain percentage on the gross receipts. If all goes well she expects to realize about $50,000 from her contract. Her father is anxious that his daughter should begin her stage career at once.

Abe Levy, emphatically denied today a story printed this morning in which it is stated that Levy said that Miss Patterson admitted to him that she had the revolver in her hand when the shot was fired that killed Caesar Young. "It is a bare faced, malicious lie," said Mr. Levy. "I am the last man to discuss the case in such a manner."

Nearly Lynched by Gypsies.

The prompt arrival of a police patrol in Glendale Woods, Jersey City, was all that saved two Italians from lynching Tuesday at the hands of a frenzied mob of gypsies, whose aged chief they had assaulted. The two Italians—Tony Blumo and Patricio Franko—belonged to the Jersey City street-cleaning department. During a lull in the process of sweeping Communipaw avenue the two men stole into a woods, where the gypsies had pitched camp, and raided the chicken coop, making away with half a dozen freshly laid eggs. Joseph Lovell, 73 years old, the chief of the gypsies, surprised the two Italians, laden with their plunder, just as they were going out of the woods and attempted to bar the way to the high road, yelling lustily for help. The Italians ran, but Lovell grappled with one of them, and in the struggle was knocked senseless by a blow with a shovel. The rest of the gypsies had arrived by this time, however, and the two Italians were promptly seized and dragged back into the woods, one of them with his head in a noose, and led by the end of a long rope. A motorman in a passing track road car saw what had occurred, and speeding his car warned the police, who arrived just in time to prevent a lynching.

Red Men.

The Great Council of Virginia, Improved Order of Red Men, convened in its fifty-ninth annual session in Philadelphia yesterday with a large attendance of delegates. Addresses of welcome were made by Mayor Jones and Past Sachems James B. Blanks and O. Rowell. A resolution was adopted indorsing the Jamestown Exposition. Yesterday the delegates took a trolley ride to Richmond, where they were entertained.

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Corporation Attorney.

Will any of the candidates for Corporation Attorney tell us the origin, powers and duties of that office? The city charter directs an election of an "Attorney for the Corporation." Is there anywhere any legal declaration of what the Attorney for the Corporation shall do or not do?

VOTER.

A Disastrous Calamity.

It is a disastrous calamity when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store; 25c.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

A battery of artillery for Fort Hunt passed through this city this morning.

The Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association after a ten day's session will adjourn tomorrow.

Another of the new motor cars, No. 22, has been put in service on the W., A. & Mt. Vernon Railway.

A severe electrical storm visited Bluemont, Loudoun county, last night. Several trees were blown down by the high wind.

Lee Genzberger has sold to E. P. Matter a house and lot on the west side of Patrick street, between King and Cameron, for $1,050.

The schooner J. P. Robinson, with a cargo of corn from Wakefield, Washington's birthplace, arrived today consigned to Mr. Walter Roberts.

Ella Henderson, colored, who had been employed in the home of a resident of north Fayette street, was arrested today on the charge of lunacy.

The weather was cool last night, and pleasant conditions have continued today. There were heavy showers of rain about ten o'clock last night, accompained by some thunder and lightning.

The four-masted schooner E. Starr Jones, which has been loaded with railroad ties for Boston at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf, has cleared. The three-masted schooner W. P. Hood is now loading ties at the same wharf.

A box car was derailed and thrown across the tracks at the east end of the Wilkes street tunnel this morning. The accident brought the transfer service between this city and Shepherd's to a standstill, as well as the shifting of cars on Union street.

The annual meeting of the Chapin-Sacks Manufacturing Company, of Washington, was held at the Hotel Fleischmann last night. The old officers were re-elected as follows: President, A. A. Chapin; vice president, George P. Sacks; secretary, C. S. Orleman; treasurer, S. C. Redman. Plans were approved for enlarging the plant of the company and increasing the output of ice from 200 to 500 tons per day.

Mr. Robert Travers will have sturgeon, trout and other varieties of fresh fish in market tomorrow.

Turtle Soup tomorrow, 10c a bowl. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

Porter and ale on draught; also sold at 10 cents per quart. C. H. Zimmerman, Market alley. tu,th,sa

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church was opened this morning at Winona Lake, Ind. Mr. W. J. Bryan was present.

Ambassador Storer has lodged a strong protest with the Foreign Office in Vienna against the treatment accorded Marcus Braun, the United States Immigration Commissioner, whose mail was tampered with by Hungarian detectives and who was fined for insulting the detective he found examining his papers.

Incoming steamers from the eastward, brought no news to New York today of the eleven yachts which started yesterday from the Sandy Hook light vessel for the Lizard for the Kaiser's cup. When last seen, last night, the contestants were standing seaward on a long port board, which has for the time at least, carried them outside the route of incoming ships from Europe.

Governor Douglas's Decision.

Governor Douglas, of Massachusetts, as referee in the settlement of the Fall River textile strike of 1904, issued a statement yesterday in which he says that a partial restoration of wages is not warranted. When the strike was settled in January last through Governor Douglas's intervention he was empowered to fix a margin of profit at which operatives would receive an increase of wages. The Governor reports that the conditions during the months of January and April were not such as to warrant an increase. The strike, which affected about 25,000 persons, was begun in July, 1904, to resist a cut of 12½ per cent. in wages. The strike lasted nearly six months, at the end of which time the operatives returned to work with the reduction in effect. The strikers went back in consequence of the amicable intervention of Governor Douglas, and the agreement was that the Governor should, after investigation, decide upon what margin the millowners could grant an increase of 5 per cent. up to April 1 of this year.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 88	a	5 00
Family	5 50	a	5 60
Fancy brands	6 00	a	6 50
Wheat, longberry	1 05	a	1 06
Mixed	1 04	a	1 05
Fultz	1 04	a	1 05
Damp and tough	0 80	a	0 85
Corn, white	0 56	a	0 58
Mixed	0 55	a	0 56
Yellow	0 53	a	0 55
Corn Meal	0 67	a	0 70
Rye	0 56	a	0 60
Oats, mixed, new	0 38	a	0 42
White, new	0 40	a	0 45
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 35
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 22
Choice Virginia	0 25	a	0 32
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 17	a	0 18
Live Chickens [hens]	0 13	a	0 14
Potatoes, per bu	0 20	a	0 50
Sweet Potatoes	3 00	a	3 25
Yams	1 50	a	2 50
Onions, per bushel	2 00	a	2 50
Dried Cherries	0 14	a	0 15
Dried Apples	0 03	a	0 04
Apples, per bbl	2 25	a	2 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 11
Bacon, country hams	0 11	a	0 11½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 11	a	0 11½
Butchers' hams	0 11	a	0 11½
Breakfast Bacon	0 10½	a	0 11
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 08	a	0 09
Bulk shoulders	0 08	a	0 08½
Dry Salt sides	0 08	a	0 08½
Fat backs	0 06½	a	0 07
Bellies	0 08½	a	0 08½
Smoked shoulders	0 09	a	0 10
Smoked sides	0 09	a	0 09½
Veal Calves	0 06	a	0 07
Lambs	0 07	a	0 10
Lard	0 07½	a	0 08½
Smoked Beef	0 14	a	0 18½
Sugars—Brown	5 39	a	5 50
Off A	5 80	a	5 90
Conf. standard	6 00	a	6 10
Granulated	6 10	a	6 25
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
Molassas B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 20	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 28
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 28
Salt—G. A	0 55	a	0 58
Fine	0 75	a	1 15
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 19	a	0 21
Washed	0 24	a	0 26
Merino, unwashed	0 17	a	0 19
Do. washed	0 22	a	0 24
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 50	a	7 00
Potomac No 1	2 75	a	3 00
Potomac family roe	4 00	a	4 50
Do. half barrel	2 00	a	2 25
Potomac Shad	11 00	a	12 00
Mackerel, small, per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	13 00	a	13 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75

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Watering Pots	20c and up
Grass Seats	5c each
Clothes Baskets	59c and up
Water Coolers	98c and up
Ice Cream Freezers, the Gem, Lightning and Blizzard	$1.49 and up
White Mountain	$2.69 and up
Screen Doors	85c and up
Window Screens	20c and up
Paints, ready mixed	10c can
Paints ready mixed by the quart or gallon.	
Paint Brushes	5c and up
White Wash Brushes	10c to $1.98

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AUCTION SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 7th day of November, 1904, in the chancery cause of Solomon Myers and Isodore Myers, executors of Lewis Myers, deceased, vs. Max Lansburgh and others, the undersigned special commissioners of sale, will on

MONDAY,
the 5th day of June, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., at the front door of the Court House of Prince William county, Manassas, Va., sell at public auction all the right, title, interest and estate of the defendant, Max Lansburgh, in and to ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND situated in the county of Prince William, State of Virginia, described as containing 4,264 acres, more or less, and bounded on the east by the Potomac river, on the north by Quantico creek, on the south by Chappawamsick creek and on the west by the telegraph road, together with all rights and appurtences thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining; or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of the said decree in favor of the plaintiffs against the said Max Lansburgh, to-wit, the sum of $2,741.77, with interest on $2,473.66, part thereof from March 6, 1900, and on $268.11, the residue thereof from October 4, 1901, until paid, and the costs of this suit and of sale. The sale is made subject to the rights of W. A. Wimsatt under the agreements made with him by the defendant, Max Lansburgh, bearing date February 9, 1904, and March 4, 1904, respectively, and the deed made in pursuance thereof, recorded among the land records of Prince William county, in Liber 52, page 323, and subject also to the contigent dower right of the wife of the said Max Lansburgh in the equity of redemption in said property.

Terms of Sale—One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, the deferred installments to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the day of sale until paid, and to be evidenced by the notes or bonds of the purchaser or purchasers with approved personal security and the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money. The purchaser or purchasers may at their option pay all in cash. All conveyancing to be at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

JAMES R. CATON,
J. B. T. THORNTON,
Commissioners of Sale.

I, John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, do certify that James R. Caton has executed bond with approved surety as required by the above decree.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
BY NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
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R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated September 26, 1899, and recorded in deed book 44, page 176, of the land records of Alexandria city, Virginia, executed by Alexander Conway to Lewis McK. Bell and others, trustees of the Alexandria Perpetual Building Fund Association, and default having been made in the payment of the debt and the interest thereby secured and being thereunto directed by the board of directors of said association, the undersigned trustees of said association will sell at pulic auction for cash on

SATURDAY, May 27, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the said city of Alexandria, Virginia, ALL THAT TENEMENT AND LOT OF GROUND situated in said city on the east side of Columbus street between Wilkes and Gibbon streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning on Columbus street 151 feet 7 inches north of Gibbon street; thence east parallel to Gibbon street 108 feet 5 inches to an alley 15 feet wide; thence north on said alley parallel to Columbus street 25 feet; thence west parallel with Gibbon street 108 feet 5 inches to Columbus street, and thence south on Columbus street 25 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances to the same belonging. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

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J. R. and H. B. Caton, Attorneys.
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AUCTION SALES.

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE SECURITIES.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered on the 6th day of May, 1905, in the chancery cause of Ella Rose Smoot vs. Frances P. Smoot and others, the undersigned substituted trustees, under the last will and testament of Josiah H. D. Smoot, deceased, will sell at public auction on

SATURDAY,
the 20th day of May, 1905,

at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Court House, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following securities, viz:

1st. Thirty (30) shares of stock of the Alexandria Water Company.

2nd. Six hundred dollars ($600) of the first mortgage bonds of the Virginia Midland Railway Company.

3rd. Thirty-two hundred dollars ($3,200) of the second mortgage bonds of the Virginia Midland Railway Company.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

CARROLL PIERCE,
WORTH HULFISH,
Substituted trustees under the last will and testament of J. H. D. Smoot.
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By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered on the 31st day of January, 1901, in the chancery cause therein pending between William T. Emerson and wife, complainants, and Isabel O. Price and others, defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioner of Sale will sell at public auction at 12 o'clock, m., on

SATURDAY,
the 13th day of May, 1905,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the following real estate belonging to the estate of the late John P. Emerson, to-wit: ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON situated on the west side of Payne street and south side of Duke street, and fronting on Duke street 185 feet 11½ inches, more or less, and on Payne street 250 feet 2 inches, more or less. The above property will be offered first as a whole, and if no satisfactory bid is received for the same as a whole, it will then be offered in parcels as follows, namely:

1, THE LOT OF GROUND with the cottage and other improvements thereon situated at the intersection of the south side of Duke street with the west side of Payne street, fronting on Duke street 100 feet, and running southwardly in depth and fronting on Payne street 150 feet.

2, FOUR BUILDING LOTS on the west side of Payne street, commencing 150 feet south of Duke street, each fronting on Payne street 25 feet ½ inch, and each running westwardly in depth 185 feet 11½ inches, more or less.

3, FOUR BUILDING LOTS on the south side of Duke street, commencing 100 feet west of Duke street, one fronting on Duke street 25 feet 11½ inches, and the remaining three fronting on Duke street 20 feet each, and all running southwardly in depth 150 feet, more or less.

Terms of Sale—One-third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal installments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, the deferred installments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the day of sale until paid, and the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money and interest. All expenses of conveyancing at the cost of the purchasers.

JAMES R. CATON,
Special Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that James R. Caton, Special Commissioner of Sale, as above, has executed bond with approved security as required by the decree of sale above mentioned.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
BY NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.

The above sale is postponed to SATURDAY, May 20.

JAS. R. CATON, Commissioner of Sale.
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Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 18, 1905.

A Tale of a Tub.

The two pretty American girls had met two delightful Englishmen on the way across and had given a cordial invitation, warmly seconded by their mother, to Sir Charles and his friend to visit them at their country home.

One day a message came saying the two men would arrive that afternoon. The family was thrown into a fever of excitement, and many plans of entertainment for their guests were suggested and abandoned. It was finally decided that, as Englishmen are notoriously fond of a "tub" and their guests were coming directly from the train, they should first be invited to take a bath. After that the hostess would rely on the inspiration of the moment.

The young men arrived promptly and after some demurring were hurried off to the bathroom. In about an hour they emerged and went immediatly to their hostess, saying, "We are sorry to leave so soon, but we only came to make a call, and our train leaves in fifteen minutes."—Lippincott's.

Rice Eaters and Wheat Eaters.

Some writer once classified the population of the world into two groups—the rice eaters and the wheat eaters. With rice goes fish, and with wheat goes meat. Chemical analysis shows that each of these combinations forms a perfect diet, embracing all the necessary food elements. But, while the wheat and meat diet requires an elaborate and expensive preparation to make it ready for use, the rice and fish diet is cheap and simple. It needs no slaughter houses, mills or bakeries, with dozens of other adjunctive factories. Fish and rice can be prepared for food by the simplest processes within fifteen minutes after they are brought to the pot. And so the rice eaters are able to live on a few pennies a day and yet thrive and become big and populous nations.—Kansas City Journal.

For People of Thirty.

"If you reach the age of thirty without having had any serious illness you will be likely to live till seventy or more," said a physician. "All the old folk I know reached thirty without any alarming maladies scored against them.

"From thirty on all you need do is to be careful, to observe a few simple rules of health. I should say that these rules are simple and good:

"Eat fruit at breakfast and at luncheon.

"Avoid pastry, muffins, hot bread and buttered toast.

"Eat potatoes only once a day.

"Walk at least four miles in the open air daily.

"Do not drink tea or coffee.

"Take a daily bath and wash the face with warm water before retiring.

"Sleep eight hours."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A Bran Pie.

Alfonso, king of Aragon, attended by several of his courtiers, called on a jeweler to inspect some of his wares. No sooner had he left the shop than the proprietor came running after him and complained that he had been robbed of a diamond of great value. The king returned to the shop and ordered a large vessel filled with bran to be brought and placed on the counter. He then commanded each of his courtiers to insert his hand closed and then withdraw it open. He was the first to begin, and after all had had their turn he asked the jeweler to empty the vessel on the counter. By this means the diamond was recovered and nobody was disgraced.

The Pygmy Hippopotamus.

One of the animals least known to the outside world is the pygmy hippopotamus of west Africa. It is just what its name implies, a pygmy hippopotamus. It is much smaller than the common hippopotamus, being no larger than an ordinary or fair sized hog. It differs somewhat from the common hippo in the character of its teeth, and instead of spending its time in the rivers and lakes in large herds it wanders about through the jungles singly or in pairs, much after the manner of swine in search of mast.

Healthy Mentality.

A large, healthy, normal mind will see the good in another much more quickly than the evil, but a narrow, belittling mind has an eye only for faults, for the unlovely and the crooked. The clear, the beautiful, the true and the magnanimous are too large for its vision. It delights in tearing down or destroying, but it is incapable of upbuilding.—London Answers.

Man's Reasonableness

is often as great as women's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick she could hardly leave her bed, and five [5] physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists, price 50c.

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PROPOSALS.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., April 29, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, May 19, 1905, and then publicly opened for making repairs to roadway to the Richmond, Virginia, National Cemetery roadway. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals. Specifications and drawings will be furnished upon application to this office or to the Superintendent of the Cemetery at Richmond, Va. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for repairing road to the Richmond, Va., National Cemetery," and be addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.
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DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Washington, D. C., May 5, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, May 20, 1905, for Grading, Cement Walks, etc., at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading, etc.," or for "Cement Walks," as the case may be and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of depot. my9,10,11,17,18,19

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Washington, D. C., May 1, 1905. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, May 31st, 1905, for curbing and paving road on U. S. Reservation at Virginia approach to Washington Aqueduct Bridge. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Curbing and Paving," and addressed to CAPTAIN A. W. BUTT, Depot Quartermaster.
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VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 29th day of April, 1905.

Otis B. Goodall
vs. } In Chancery.
Belle K. Goodall,

Memo. The object is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant and for further and complete relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Belle K. Goodall, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four succesive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—Teste:

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
BY NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
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R. E. BRADLEY, Secretary.
my8 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the PAFF SHOE COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, at the northeast corner of Washington and Gibbon streets, in this city, on TUESDAY, May 23, 1905, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES B PAFF, Secretary.
my8 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIAN MARBLE QUARRYING CO. will be held at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., MONDAY, June 5, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
my9 td

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the DEWEY HOTEL COMPANY will be held at 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, June 8, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
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AN ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING of the MOUNT VERNON AND MARSHALL HALL STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the company's offices, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, May 29, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m.

HENRY F. WOODARD,
my9 td Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE COMPANY will be held in the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, the FIFTH (5th) day of JUNE, A. D. 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may constitutionally come before said meeting.

Books for the transfer of stock will be closed on Saturday, May 20th, to Tuesday, June 6th, 1905, both dates inclusive.

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Sundays—7 00, 8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20 and 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 p. m.

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Leave Alexandria 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 42 a. m., 12 20, 12 46, 1 00, 1 46, 2 10, 2 46, 3 05, 3 46, 4 36, 5 30, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 15, 9 00, 9 45, 10 25, 10 50, 11 20, 11 50 a. m., 12 20, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50, 2 20, 2 50, 3 20, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 20, 5 50, 6 20, 6 50, 7 20 and 7 50 p. m.

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Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 05, 7 45, 8 30, 9 00, 10 00, 10 50, 11 42 a. m., 12 46, 1 00, 2 46, 3 46, 4 36, 5 30, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

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